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v. M. Hull

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: SIMONSEN

Serial No.: 09/881,556

Examiner:

A.M. Navarro

Confirmation No.: 6837

Art Unit:

1645

Filed: June 14, 2001

For: CRYPTOSPORIDIUM PARVUM ANTIGENS, ANTIBODIES THERETO AND DIAGNOSTIC

AND THERAPEUTIC COMPOSITIONS THEREOF

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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Applicants submit this request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 for the above-identified application.

- [X] Please consider the following submission(s) required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:
  - [X] The amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on September 22, 2003.
- [X] Also enclosed is:
- [X] Applicants request a one month extension of time in which to respond from October 4, 2003 to November 4, 2003. A fee of \$210 is enclosed. A one month extension of time from September 4, 2003 to October 4, 2003 was previously filed on September 22, 2003.
  - [X] Return receipt postcard
  - [X] Check No. 1838 in the amount of \$385.00 for the total fee as calculated below.
- [X] The fee for the request for continued examination is calculated as follows:

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|---|------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|-------|
| Total Claims  | 10               | - 31 =                           | 0               | x \$18.00 | \$0   |
| Independent<br>Claims   | 2                | - 9 =                            | 0               | x \$84.00 | \$0   |
| Multiple depen  | dent claims not  | previously presente              | d, add \$280.00 |           |       |
| Total Amendment Fee   |                  |                                  |                 |           | \$0   |
| Continued Examination Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) of \$770.00 (\$385.00) |                  |                                  |                 |           | \$385 |
| TOTAL FEE DUE   |                  |                                  |                 |           | \$385 |

## [X] A check for the total fee of \$595 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Dated: /0/20/03

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